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USING A MODIFIED TUBULAR
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[X] 37 CFR 1.53(b) CONTINUING APPLICATION OF PRIOR APPLICATION NO. 10/453,231
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[] Continuation
[] Divisional
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In accordance with 37 CFR 153(b) enclosed are:

- 1 [X] Fee Transmittal Form (Original & Duplicate)= 4 pp
- 2 [X] Patent Application Total No. Pages = 39
- 3a [X] Informal Drawings Total No. Pages = 31
- 3b [] Formal Drawings Total No. Pages =
- 4 [X] Oath or Declaration Total No. Pages = 5 (includes Power of Attorney)
- 4a [X] Newly Executed (Original or Copy)
- 4b [] Copy from Prior Application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) for Continuation/Divisional noted above
- 4c [] Deletion of Inventors (Signed Statement Deleting Inventors Named in Prior Application
37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)
- 5 [X] Incorporation by Reference (Usable if 4b is checked) Entire Disclosure of Prior Application, from
which a copy of the oath for declaration is supplied is considered as being part of the disclosure of the
accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein
- 6 [X] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
This is a [] continuation [X] continuation-in-part [] division of
application serial no. 10/453,231 filed June 3, 2003.
- 7 [] The prior application is assigned to SCHLUMBERGER TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION.

Accompanying Application Parts

- 6 [X] Assignment Papers (Cover Sheet & duplicate &document(s) = 5 pp.
- 7 [] 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement
[] Power of Attorney
- 8 [X] Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
[] Copies of __ Citations
- 9 [] Preliminary Amendment
- 10 [X] Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
- 11 [] English Translation Document
- 12 [] Certified Copy of Priority Document (if Foreign Priority is Claimed)
- 13 [] Other: Preliminary Amendment

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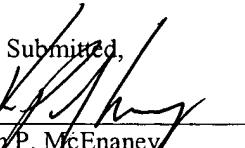
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